

Legislative File Number R-06-102 (version 2)

CITY of ALBUQUERQUE SEVENTEENTH COUNCIL

Approving and Authorizing the Filing of an Agreement with the State of New Mexico, Department of Health to Support a Local Pandemic Influenza Preparedness Program; Providing an Appropriation to the Environmental Health Department (Heinrich)

CITY of ALBUQUERQUE SEVENTEENTH COUNCIL

APPROVING AND AUTHORIZING THE FILING OF AN AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT, AND THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, FOR THE ACCEPTANCE OF FUNDS TO IMPLEMENT A LOCAL PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM AND PROVIDING FOR AN APPROPRIATION TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

WHEREAS, the New Mexico Department of Health (NMDOH), under the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention regulations is distributing funds to eligible entities; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque has been identified to apply for funds to implement a local pandemic influenza preparedness program, including political and stakeholder briefings, Local EOP Health, Medical and Mortuary Annex review and development, local capacity assessment, and hospital tabletop exercises; and

WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque is desirous of using these funds for strategic pandemic planning.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF ALBUQUERQUE:

Section 1. That the attached Memorandum of Agreement for the initial installment of \$48,653 and the subsequent installments from the New Mexico Department of Health

under the current regulations governing Strategic Pandemic Planning, and their acceptance and filing with the appropriate official or office of the New Mexico Department of Health is in all respects approved.

Section 2. That in the event this grant is awarded, State funds in the amount of \$350,000, of which \$24,358 are for city indirect costs, are hereby appropriated to the Environmental Health Department for Strategic Pandemic Planning in the Operating Grants Fund (265) for fiscal year 2006 and 2007.

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